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Thinking Out Loud

H. M. L.

The maritime strike is causing such wide spread unemployment that is now seems likely that the records of the depression at its deepest will not equal it, so far as California is concerned. Eight plants which deal in vegetable oils around the bay have been forced to close. One thousand men are employed in these plants. Job welding and marine repair plants in the bay area have reduced their forces by one half throwing 200 men out of work. The redwood lumbering and milling industry, employing 575 men has been suspended for months past.

The blockade and disruption of water borne commerce is running into millions. The Christmas trade in Los Angeles and San Francisco, fell short of reasonable anticipations by huge sums. California's dried, and fresh fruit export trade has shrunk to almost nothing. Much of this export trade will be lost permanently.

The rock on which all negotiations are wrecked, is the hiring hall. Shipowners refuse to permit the union to name their masters, mates and responsible officers. They are willing, according to last accounts that the unions should supply crews and engine forces. Not only do the radicals in control of the maritime unions in San Francisco, propose to force the hiring hall on ship owners, but they propose to make it an institution throughout the state They have declared that when they win the waterfront strikes, they will "march inland." This means of the union objective is attained, that the farmers will have to submit to taking such men as the unions name. In other words we are faced with a labor dictatorship.

Matters of hours and wages, from all accounts, could easily be adjusted but Harry Bridges, now recognized by no less than the mayor of San Francisco as the chief obstacle to a strike settlement, has other plans. Not only does he seek to make the hiring hall dominant in all labor relations in this state, but he is using the strike to force out more moderate maritime labor leaders on the Atlantic coast, and install the radicals there.

It is reported on good authority that most of the workers in all the unions involved are ready to return to work, not only ready but anxious to do so. But when any voice is raised in a union meeting protesting the long drawn out strike, or appealing for a settlement, the plug uglies of the uion promptly silence the protestor. A small minority of reds rules the unions.

This is a brief story of the strike. Why is Bridges, an alien forced to flee Australia, permitted to do California millions of dollars worth of damage, to throw thousands of wage workers out of employment, to continue this course for more than two months? A continual barrage of telegrams and letters for a month past has gone forward to President Roosevelt. Here we have one man, this Bridges, who is striving to make the world over in a hurry, to establish a minor dictatorship on the Pacific coast, to the injury of millions of American citizens, and as yet no hand to halt this devastating march of the radicals has been raised by Federal or state authorities.

It is no longer a secret that Bridges is specially favored by the Secretary of Labor, Mrs. Perkins. All efforts of Henry Grady, her capable assistant and the trouble shooter for the department to affect an agreement, comes to nothing because of this fact. He dare not tell the truth regarding Bridges.

It may be just as well to let this quarrel continue a while longer. In the end there will be a show down. The state troops may be called out as they were two years ago. There will probably be bloodshed and it may be that lives will be lost in the battle. But one thing is very certain. The people of this state will not submit to a dictatorship by Bridges or any other communist. The farmers have proved in the past they can take care of themselves, and in time other groups will be forced to do so.

HOME FROM ALLEGHANY

John D. Webber and little daughter of Nevada City have just returned from spending the holidays in Alleghany with his sister, Mrs. Jas. Swan and Mr. Swan. Weber stated it was the coldest spell his sister has experienced since residing in Alleghany. Nearly all the pipe lines between the city and the Sixteen-to-One mine, about three quarters of a mile, burst. Snow was between 5 1-2 and six feet deep when he came down. Four years ago it was nine feet deep but not so cold.

Body of Kidnaped Boy Reported Found

TACOMA (Washington) Jan. 11.—The radio reports today recited the story of finding the frozen body of a child in a wooded section near Everett, Washington, which answers the description of the kidnaped boy, Charles Mattson of Tacoma, Washington. Positive identification could not be made at once, owing to the fact that the little boy's face had been beaten to a pulp. Death, it was ascertained, was due to a blow which had fractured his skull. So far as height, weight and other details are concerned, it was stated that the body answers the description of the kidnaped boy. The body was found by a farmer's son, residing in the locality.

NICK RIEHL OF FRENCH CORRAL, 103 YEARS OLD

Nick Riehl, who is 103 years old, lives in French Corral with his daughter Mrs. Kate Sauer. Reihl was born in Russia 1834. and is undoubtedly the oldest man in Nevada county. He smokes a pipe with gusto, but his favorite smoke is a tailor-made cigarette. If anyone takes out a pack in his presence and does not offer him one he is much offended.

For fifty years Nick lived in Russia, a descendant of those Germans which Catherine the Great brought from her native country when she became the Russian Czarina. These Germans were given land and a long term of years when they should be tax free. But in time the Russian nobility objected to this tax free status of the German colony, and heavy duties were clapped on all German property. Many of them, including Nick's father, who, by the way lived well into his nineties, emigrated to North Dakota. At that time Nick was fifty years of age.

He came west and twenty years ago worked in a sawmill near Portland, Oregon. For breakfast he used to have a bowl of wine in which a thick slice of bread was soaked. He attributes longevity in part to this diet.

A year or two ago he moved to French Corral with his daughter. He is the father of five children, three of whom are living, and the grandfather of 36. He has approximately 20 great grandchildren livng, and expects to dandle on his knee a few of his great-great grandchildren.

P. G. & E. TO SPEND $97,000 IN DRUM DIVISION SOON

Plans for improvement of service in Drum division which will necessitate expenditure of approximately $97,000, were announced by Pacific Gas and Electric Company officials.

Extension of the electric facilities from the end of the Rough and Ready power line about seven miles will supply twenty two applicants at Indian Springs.

The Drum canal between the tunnel and Tahoe Flume and three miles down-stream from the flume is to be reinforced at various leaky sections with gunite lining and a rock wall installed along the uphill slope of the canal at a total cost of $66,000.

Other additions and improvements scheduled for the division include masonry installation at Halsey Afterbay; pole replacements in Auburn; purchasing parcel of land near Alta power house penstock and installing a concrete anchorage on it, the moving hillside having buckled the penstock; replacing regulating equipment at Nevada City substation because present installation is overloaded, and rerouting the metallic telephone circuits from Alta power house to Alta store.

Work on these and other similar construction projects is expected to begin as soon as materials are available.

LICENSES OF 3,536 DRIVERS ARE SUSPENDED

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 11.—Licenses of 3,536 California drivers were suspended and 311 revoked or cancelled in November, Paul Mason, chief of the State Division of Drivers' Licenses, announced today.

Reinstatement of licenses for the month was given as 279, while 3,601 failed to pass their tests, 427 were definitely refused and instruction permits were issued to 2,727 persons who desired to learn to drive.

"Further analysis of special tests being conducted by the division," Mason said, "has brought to light some interesting factors with relation to drivers involved in fatal accidents in 1936. In checking 119 drivers, our tests showed that one in twelve had little or no vision in one eye, and in most cases the drivers themselves, were unaware of this defect.

"Many of these defects can be corrected with proper treatment, and following correction, there is reason to believe, many will be able to safely operate cars."

SCHOLASTIC HONOR AWARDS ANNOUNCED

Principal H. E. Kjorlie of the Nevada City high school has announced the California Scholarship Federation and Ten Point Honor Roll awards for the second six week period.

The California Scholarship Federation honors go to the following: Adele Joerschke and Robert Proctor, seniors; Jean Martz and Alice Norton, sophomores; Patricia Arbogast, Margie Clark, Marjorie Trevillyan, Doreen Watson and Verda Anne Yuen, freshmen. The freshmen class has a majority in this division.

The Ten Point Honor Roll is as follows: Betsy Bennett, Edward Bonner, Amy Lou McCraney, seniors; Dorothy Arbogast, Edna Doolittle, Vella Flindt, Ruth Godfrey, juniors; June Hawke, Bill Joyal, Bernice McQuay, Norlene Whitley, sophomores, and Doris Ann McNeal, Margaret Odegaard and Barbara Phariss, freshmen.

CONTRACTORS TO BUILD TRUCKEE RIVER BY-PASS

Construction this winter of 800 feet of by-pass to divert water of the Little Truckee at Boca will precede the building of the dam across the river this spring. The million dollar project will be built by the Condon Construction Company, the low bidder. George McGuire is superintendent of the job for the Condon company. A winter crew of 30 men, most of them regularly employes of the Condon company will carry forward work on the by-pass.

WATER LEFT RUNNING COVERS FLOOR WITH ICE

J. V. Hubbard of Nevada City has the following to say of one of his neighbors and the present cold weather. Upon retiring they turned the hot water on in the kitchen sink. In the morning they could not open the kitchen door and had to climb up a ladder, break a window, and climb in to turn off the water. It had filled the sink, run all over the floor fully an inch deep and become solid ice.

COLD CAUSES ENGINE TO EXPLODE

Mrs. Christian Anderson is in receipt of a letter from her father, J. R. Pavilla, who is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Reed at Sloat, Plumas county, in which he states it was 20 degrees below zero. Due to the sudden cold spell the steam engine in the box factory at Sloat blew into smithereens killing one man. One piece of the fly-wheel was hurled 1,000 feet and another portion tore up a part of the railroad track.

WILD DUCK DEFIES ICE IN DEER CREEK

Nevada City's wild duck, which has been living in Deer Creek at the Fred Sauvee home at the Plaza about a year again is causing quite a lot of amusement and interest these cold days.

As the Sauvee chickens are fed, a generous handful of grain is tossed to the duck and it never strays from a certain section of the stream always appearing at meal times quacking noisily as it comes for its feed.

Saturday morning Deer Creek was frozen over for quite a distance above the Union Ice Company plant and the lod quacking of the duck attracted several who went to investigate. The little bird was swimming round and round having swum in a circle of about eight feet keeping the water from freezing with its steady paddling.

WOMEN'S CIVIC CLUB POSTPONES ITS MEETING

Due to the storm it was announced today that there will be no meeting of the Woman's Civic Club this evening The excellent program in which Miss Nancy Jones and Mrs. Belnap Goldsmith were to relate their experiences in traveling in Norway and Mexico, respectively, will be given at a later date.

Fred E. Conner, president of the Chamber of Commerce, announced today that the chamber would contribute $5 toward the Christmas tree fund.

SEPT. RECORD OF DRUNK DRIVERS TOTALS 3112

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 11.—Persons arrested for drunken driving on the highways of California during September were nearly twice that of any month in state's history, Ray Ingels, director of the State Motor Vehicle Department, said today in his monthly report to Governor Frank F. Merriam.

Of the 3112 persons arrested for driving while intoxicated, Ingels said, 3072 were convicted, and it is "quite evident that many persons have not learned that gasoline and alcohol form a dangerous and expensive mixture."

TRANSAMERICA EXTRA DIVIDEND

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—Directors of Transamerica Corporation on Monday authorized a dividend disbursement of $9,319,735.75 by declaring an extra dividend payable in Bancamerica-Blair Corporation stock in addition to the regular semi-annual dividend of twenty cents a share. The extra dividend which will be paid out of earned surplus is payable in the ratio of one share of Bancamerica - Blair Corporation stock, The regular semi-annual dividend was increased from fifteen cents to twenty cents a share last July, at which time an extra dividend of five cents a share was paid. Both are payable January 30, 1937, to stockholders of record January 15.

The disbursement will amount to $4,630,824.60 in cash and $4,688,811.15 in present market value, namely, $10.125 a share, of 463,092.46 shares of Bancamerica-Blair Corporation stock, a total of $9,319,735.75 for the six months period ending December 31, 1936 or approximately forty cents a share on the capital stock of Transamerica Corporation outstanding. This compares with $5,788,000 disbursed in January 1936, $2,948,000 in January 1935, and $2,954,000 in January 1934.

SELLING LIQUOR TO INDIANS

Russell B. Farley, board of equalization agent of this district, left Sunday for Sacramento where ten cases of liquor law violations are to be heard in the Federal court this week. It is stated nearly all these cases are in connection with selling liquor to Indians.

NEW STORM BRINGS 10 INCHES OF SNOW

Snow started falling during last night and continued steadily nearly all day today. It is estimated ten inches of new snow have fallen at Nevada City and the storm continues. Rainfall for this city during the month of JJanuary to last evening was 1.36 inches for the ten day period.

The highway department at Nevada City under Superintendent Fred Garrison sent a snow plow and equipment out on the Tahoe Ukiah highway this afternoon to keep the road open. The office reports 18 inches of new snow and drifting badly on this route. It is not certain the Donner Pass is open at this time although snow equipment and crews are at work on it.

Ten inches of new snow had fallen at Downieville today and not let up is noted. The U. S. mail came through from Downieville on its schedule run. and E. J. Haverstock, mail carrier for Washington made his two trips today. Mail is being taken to Alleghany and Graniteville by cars, sleighs and skiis.

A gondola of the Narrow Gauge railroad containing ore from a local mine was derailed near Town Talk due to ice on the rails this morning. A crew was put to work at once and transferred the ore to another car. The Narrow Gauge is having better luck than usual in keeping the track clear. A light engine is running back and forth keeping the track clear of snow and ice.

The record storm has brought snow to all of Northern California from latest reports Down in the Sacramento Valley where snow falls every four years there is a foot of snow at Chico, a foot at Willows and rest of Williams at the edge of the foothills on the Tahoe-Ukiah highway two feet of snow are reported. It is snowing in Sacramento also.

DEER SLAYER IS FINED $150

C. W. Sitton of near French Corral was arrested by Game Warden Earl Hiscox this forenoon and brought before Judge Walter Mobley, Sitton plead guilty and was fined $150.

CAMPTONVILLE IN STORMY GRIP

CAMPTONVILLE, Jan. 11.—This section remains in the firm grip of the storm and cold weather. The thermometer fell to 8 degrees, the lowest temperature on record. A terrific north wind for three days drifted the dry snow and made the cold that much more penterating.

A new garage built a year ago by Mrs. Anna F. Grove on her property on upper Main street was flattened to the ground by snow. Water pipes all over town are broken, pipes were frozen this time that had never before been subject to the cold. The Cadillac school bus belonging to Bill Lang had the engine frozen and broken. This also happened to the Ford sedan of Mandus R. Carlson. A number of chimneys were damaged by the snow. The local CCC camp has put on a night watchman just to keep the fires going in all the buildings to keep their water pipes from freezing.

Conditions are beginning to get serious at Pike City where food is getting scarce. The only communication to the little settlement is the mail carrier, Eddie Espinosa who makes a trip a day to this place on skiis, and is able only to carry the first class mail. One family there has appealed to the CCC for helf, but they are unable to be of any assistance due to the lack of skiis or the ability to ride them.

It is still impossible to drive a car any further into town than in front of the Meek Mercantile company store, and were it not for the CCC boys who opened the road that far, people would still have to walk from the highway. The state highway, although fairly clear of snow is solid ice in many places and very dangerous.

For several days all telephone communications were out, the lines being broken in a score of places. George Wilson, one of the best linemen the company has for deep snow, with an assistant spend two days between here and Alleghany repairing the line, and reported that it was one of the toughest trips he had ever encountered. Little do those who use the telephone realize the life and death chance these men take to keep the lines clear.

PEACE DISTURBER

Braxton Black was arrested at Bunce Nolan's place of business in Grass Valley and charged with raising a distrbance when he wrecked a door, broke a mirror and fought. He pleaded guilty before Judge W. L. Mobley who is sitting for Judge William Morehouse in the Grass Valley justice court. He will be sentenced tomorrow.

A visitor in Nevada City Saturday was Emmett Marsh, president of the Tahoe Sugar Pine company.

YEARLING DEER DASHES DOWN BROAD STREET

A yearling deer ran down Broad street Saturday forenoon, coming into the business district at the Bank of America corner, and down to the Plaza falling on the slippery ice every few feet as it dashed back and forth, tongue hanging out, dodging pedestrians who attempted to catch it. The deer ran behind cars at the Plaza Garage and was cornered. The Tahoe Forest service sent a truck down and the little creature was taken back into the woods.

Everyone seemed intent on the hunt, it is even claimed staid business men glancing up and beholding the deer gave chase as the little deer came toward them.

Evidently snow had driven the deer to the lower levels and it dashed into town becoming more confused as it attempted to escape. It was almost exhausted when cornered.

Deer have visited the center of Nevada City on several occasions, but as the rule it was after dark or dogs were after them.

HI ATHLETIC SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS

The Nevada City High School Block society, an important organization in the Nevada City high school has elected officers to lead them in their future endeavors.

This society is an organization which accepts only boys who have received a letter for basketball, football, baseball or any other sport. Coach Beverly C. Barron is the advisor to the group. This organization buys letters to give the eligible players of above sports.

Todd Bonner, popular player, was elected the president. The club elected Melvin Clark vice president. Rob Graham, B team forward, was elected secretary and the treasurer elected was Phil Angove.

The Society for Athletics is planning many things in the future.

SAN JUAN RIDGE IMP. LEAGUE WILL MEET

The North San Juan Ridge Improvement League will hold its next regular meeting at the National Hotel on the evening of January 20.

All members of this organization are urged to be present on this date as it is the time set for the nomination of officers for the new terms.

If the roads are in good shape and general weather conditions permit there will be a dance at Twamley Memorial hall on January 16.

WOMAN LEAVES RELIEF HILL ON SKI SLED

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clark came down from the Relief Hill mining property during the past week end Mr. Clark being called to San Francisco on business in regard to the property of which he is in charge. They left this morning for Berkeley where Mrs. Clark will remain until spring although she had planned to stay with her husband through the winter. A sled was built on skiis to bring Mrs. Clark out. It took four hours to cover four miles, the sled upsetting several times but Mrs. Clark was a good sport.

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Many people had built up the illusion, now shattered by the Mattson case in Tacoma, that kidnaping had been completely stamped out in America. None had occurred for many months. And the odds against kidnaping have become obviously unbeatable.

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FIRE MENACES CABIN

CAMPTONVILLE, Jan. 11.—Wilsons Log Cabin narrowly escaped destruction by fire a few days ago when a fire started behind the ice box and gained headway to the roof before it was discovered. The fire was put out by a fire extinguisher. It damaged the rafters somewhat. The origin of the fire is unknown.

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Personals
LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Arno Browning of French Corral spent a few days in Nevada City visiting her husband and friends employed at one of the local mines.

Mrs. Geary Feagans and daughter Miss Dorothy Feagans, left Wednesday from Colfax over Southern Pacific lines for Detroit, Michigan, where they will take delivery of a new Ford V-8 machine. They expect to be gone several weeks visiting Mrs. Feagan's relatives in Bay City, Michigan and Mr. Feagan's relatives in Ashland, Kentucky.

Miss Vivian Berggren and girl friend, both nurses in Sacramento spent the week end in Nevada City with Miss Berggren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Berggren, and enjoyed snow sports.

Hal D. Draper, assayer and consulting chemist, of Nevada City is doing a little semi-research in metallurgical problems for the Idaho-Maryland and Lava Cap mines.

Mrs. Effie Coering of Nevada City returned during the past week from a visit over the holidays with her daughter and family and other relatives in Reno.

CAMPTONVILLE

By ACTON M. CLEVELAND

CAMPTONVILLE, Jan. 11.—Miss Eisie Ann Price, deputy superintendent of schools of Plumas county left a few days ago for Quincy after spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Price.

Alton Cook of Downieville has been in town a few days last week helping with the Downieville stage.

Miss Susette Dornberger arrived Friday from Nevada City and spent the week end at the Joubert home.

Eugene H. Hays of Browns Valley was in town Friday assisting the Marysville stage line in breaking through the road.

Constable John Jaynes had difficulty in serving papers down the ridge through the heavy snow last week.

Fred J. Joubert returned Friday from a few days business at San Francisco.

David Lewis left a few days ago for Houston, Texas, to visit his sister wom he has not seen for many years. He expects to be gone about a month and a half.

H. A. Benthusen come out from the Mill Creek section Friday on horseback and remained over night. Ben became highly indignant when some of the town people tried to feed his horse oyster shells in place of barley.

Henry Clay came in from the Altoview mine Saturday on skiis, reported that the thermometer fell to zero at that place.

QUEEN LIL MILL TO BE IN OPERATION SOON

Just as soon as cold weather lets up so that water can be brought to the Queen Lil mill at Nevada City's western limits, it will be ready to start operations. The plant consists of a 10-stamp mill, a six cell flotation unit and concentrating table. Recoveries are stated to be very satisfactory. The Wiljobar Corporation purchased the property a few weeks ago and have reconditioned it for a custom mill.

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NEVADA CITY HI TEAM WALLOPED

With revenge in their hearts for the Miners county seat title last year, the Nevada City high school Yellowjackets played the Grass Valley high school Miners in two fast games on the valley court last Friday night. Again the Jackets came home defeated in both games and looking forward to the next game with the Miners which will be played here. The scores of the games were A game—50 to 15. B game 23 to 17.

Graham starred for the local B team. The following saw action in the B game: Angove, Graham, Kennedy, Doolittle, Lotz and Gates.

The A game saw the following in action: Joyal, Hoff, Bennett, Clark, Bonner, Harding, Tobiassen and Perez. The Yellowjackets will play Roseville next Friday night.

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RADICALS UNDER BRIDGES PLAN TO MARCH INLAND

(By RALPH H. TAYLOR)

"When the maitime strike has been won, we shall march inland!"

Such is the boastful defy hurled by the radical army headed by Harry Bridges, admitted Communist, alien and ruthless leader of the Pacific Coast maritime strike.

Just what is the significance of that threat to California agriculture?

Just what does "the march inland" portend?

California farmers, just beginning to recover from years of depression, certainly cannot afford new disaster when they are still struggling to rehabilitate their industry and achieve some measure of security.

Nor can California farm workers afford to be caught napping, unless they wish to invite the domination of the notorious "Beef Squads" which "organize" by terrorism and which club and slug workers into following the strike mandates of their radical bosses.

Farmers and farm workers should know the facts and should both be prepared to end "the march inland" before it ever gathers headway. They should know, for example, that the rights of the workers are ignored and ruthlessly over-ridden by the radical agitators who now plan to invade interior California— just as the rights of the employers are ignored and thrown into the discard, in the maritime strike, the recognized labor leaders and the individual workers have been as powerless to end hositilities as the shipowners. Agreements were reached, for instance, between the shipowners and the committees of three of the major unions, but the Joint Strike Committee, dominated by Harry Bridges, prevented the membership of the unions from voting on the agreements.

The strike must go on, not because the workers are unwilling to return to work, but because Harry Bridges is unwilling—because he has not yet achieved the labor dictatorship which he has set as his objective!

In "the march inland," the radical labor forces—overriding the objections of the conservative labor leaders, who recognize the danger and futility of the program—have two immediate objectives.

They want "a closed shop." In other words, if this system obtained, a farmer could hire only union workers, pay only union scales and work only union hours—nature and the laws of harvest notwithstanding.

Second they want "preferential union hiring halls." If this system went into effect, the farmer would be forced to call up the union hiring hall, order his men—and take any men the union sent, whether experienced or unexperienced, whether good, bad or indifferent. Nor would that be all. The union could replace his workers at any time with other workers more acceptable to union bosses, regardless of the effect on the farmer's business, and woe to the farmer who dare protest, or otherwise try to control his own business.

The union hiring hall plan, reduced to elementals, constitutes the foundation of a labor dictatorship. With union bosses determining the men who would get jobs—and with the one big boss determining the fate of the smaller bosses—"the march inland" would be complete.

California agriculture cannot risk the disaster of a general strike, with crops rotting in the fields and with alien radicals dictating the terms of settlement. It certainly cannot risk the terforism of its workers by "beef squads," enforcing their commands with black-jacks and brass knuckles.

If California farmers—both farm owners and farm workers—are alert to the dangers of the situation, "the march inland" will be stopped before it leaves the city limits!

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dolan returned home Thursday evening from a several day visit in San Francisco and Oakland with relatives and friends.

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HISTORIC WELLS FARGO BANK HAS 10 PCT. INCREASE

Continued advances in deposits and total resources to new high levels were shown in the figures of Wells Fargo Bank's year end statement of condition issued at the call of the state superintendent of banks. Resources stood at $274,884,171, an increase of 10.5 per cent over the $248,562,106 of a year ago. Deposits totaled $250,707,800 about 12 per cent larger than last year's.

Totaling the cash, United States Government and other bonds, and relating them to total deposits, a liquidity ratio of 82 per cent is revealed. The statement shows a moderate increase in the bank's undivided profits, now $3,510,746 as compared with $3,448,806 a year ago.

In a few months Wells Fargo Bank will complete its 85th year, having been established during the Gold Rush days of March 1852; as the direct descendant of Wells Fargo & Co., banking and express, it is the oldest bank in Western America.

During the past six years, since December 31, 1930, Wells Fargo Bank's deposits have increased from $139,000,000 to $250,700,000 and its resources from $167,000,000 to $274,800,000.

A leading part in the commercial development of the West was played by the historic Wells Fargo Express. It carried the miners' gold, mail, and freight between San Francisco and the mines of the Mother Lode, to the Comstock in Nevada, and wherever else gold or silver drew the Western pioneer. Wells Fargo established, or consolidated with, such famous stage coach lines as the Overland Mail routes and the Pioneer Express; and operated the western division of the Pony Express in 1861.

The banking end of Wells Fargo also grew rapidly, giving the miner safekeeping or currency for his gold, collecting his drafts, supplying exchange on eastern cities or his home land. Until 1876, banking and express departments worked side by side; then rapid growth dictated the separate establishment of Wells Fargo & Co.'s bank. In 1905, this bank merged with the Nevada National Bank, and in 1924 consolidated with the Union Trust Company.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO.

No. 17708, Dept. 2.

NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.
(Sec. 780 P. C.)

In the Matter of the Estate of EVELYN B. DIBBLE, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by GERALDINE WILSON, the Administratrix of the Estate of the above named decedent, of a sale of real property at private sale as follows:

1. That the place where bids or offers will be received is 500 Ochsner Building, Sacramento, California;

2. That the day on or after which the sale will be made is the 26th day of January, 1937;

3. The property proposed to be sold is described as follows:

All that certain real property situate, lying and being in the County of Nevada, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot One (1) in Block Five (5) of EAST GRASS VALLEY as per the official map or plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Nevada, State of California.

Witness my hand and seal this 7th day of January, 1937.

(Seal) GERALDINE WILSON,
Administratrix of the Estate of Evelyn B. Dibble, Deceased.
RALPH H. LEWIS,
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NORTH SAN JUAN, Jan. 11.—Dear Editor: My fingers will probably freeze stiff before I get this written so if reception suddenly stops please stand by until spring. I'll be able to carry on after the first thaw.

The place wherein I live no longer resembles a house from the outside. It aged during the storms so to speak and now timidly hides behind a crop of snow white whiskers. Its window panes are bleary eyes with broken tear ducts and the result is long icicles that drop from the eyes to the ground.

There are four distinct layers of snow on the roof and the last one froze the first three up hard and tight. Three continuous days of hard rain might dissolve it. There is three feet of snow on the ground. It is slippery and treacherous and shows no sign of weakening under the sun's feeble rays. Many feet trudging to the postoffice have pressed a rut in the snow as wide as an irrigation ditch and we walk in it at our own risk.

The highway to Nevada City as a sheet of ice from day break until nearly noon. Only cars equipped with polar bear claws dare traverse it. In the middle of the day it turns to water. If we make a dash to the county seat and are out after dark coming up the grade from the Yuba river is like climbing a greased pole.

On account of its many curves this stretch of road is sometimes called the Mae West highway. The name does not fit, because Mae wouldn't think of neglecting her curves that are in the right places, and she goes to a lot of expense to remove a curve if it is in the wrong place. The State Highway Commission would rather let people lose their lives and property on dangerous roads than spend a few dollars widening a grade or straightening out a curve.

I haven't enough clothes to pad a crutch but during this cold spell I put them all on, and do you know Boss, they seem a lot less than I first imagined. I also thought I had too many blankets last summer when I tried to hide them from the moths; but it seems to me in the dead of night they lose weight.

Down in Dog Holler a woman expects her man to sleep with his clothes on but I am afraid it is going to take me a long time to get used to it.

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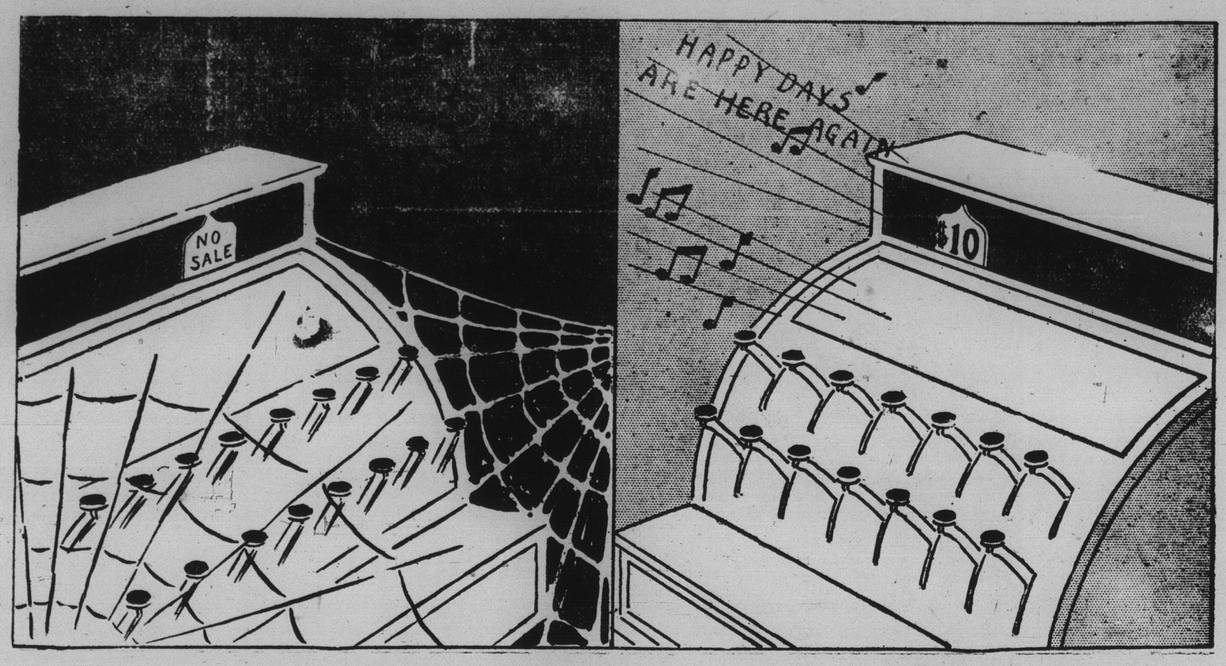
CHAMPION CIRCLE INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

Champion Circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft installed newly elected officers at a splendid meeting in Pythian Castle Thursday evening. An invitation had been extended to Auburn and Grass Valley lodges and a number were present from Grass Valley. A delicious banquet was enjoyed at Schreiber's Cafe after the meeting.

Officers installed for the coming term are, Agnes Worthley, past guardian neighbor; Helen Keifer, guardian neighbor; Marie Haddy, advisor; Anna Kervin, magician; Jane Baker, clerk; Nance Scheidick, banker; Mrs. Filler, musician; Mrs. Gaston, outer sentinel; Martha Dillon, inside sentinel; managers, Minnie Young, Esther Tremaine, Mildred Tobiassen; Elizabeth Trather, flag bearer; Nellie Coulter, captain of the guard.



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- Nevada City Nugget -

SOCIAL EVENTS

PARTIES, WEDDINGS and CLUB NOTES

Miss Cleveland of Camptonville Entertains

CAMPTONVILLE, Jan. 10.—Lola B. Cleveland entertained a number of friends Saturday evening at her home on Main street. The evening was spent in whist and games, with dancing at a late hour. Prizes for highest scores in cards were won by Mrs R.alph Gleason and Ralph Cross, with Warren Pauly winning the booby prize. Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served at a late hour.

The following were in attendance: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gleason, Misses Harriet Church, Dorothy O. Hays, Katheryne Pauly, Lola B. Cleveland, George Rose, Ralph Cross, Bill Ellis, George Strodtman, Leland Pauly, Warren Pauly, Ardel Atchinson, Russell Reed, William Groves, Arlie Miskell and Acton B Cleveland.

Miss Katheryne Pauly is Camptonville Hostess

CAMPTONVILLE, Jan. 11.—Miss Katheryne Pauly was hostess at a party given recently at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pauly on Main street. The evening was spent in playing cards and games. Prizes were awarded Lola B. Cleveland and William Groves for highest scores in cards with Arlie Miskell winning the booby prize. Delightful refreshments of sandwiches, cookies, chocolate and coffee were served at a late hour.

The following were guests: Misses Dorothy Hays, Harriet Church, Katheryne Pauly, Lola B. Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pauly, Ralph Cross, Arlie Miskell, George Strodtman, Bill Ellis, Warren Pauly, Leland Pauly, Myron Pauly, William Groves and Acton M. Cleveland.

PUNCH AND JUDY SHOW FOR HIGH SCHOOL P. T. A.

A punch and Judy show, operated by Tom Rickard and Phil Joyal will entertain the high school P. T. A. this evening when they meet at Seaman's Lodge. The association will give an excellent program and a large attendance of members is expected.

DAISY BLUE MINE EMPLOYS FIVE MEN

Five men are employed at the Daisy Blue mine. The shaft has been forward. The shaft was sunk on the unk 100 feet and drifts are going ore on an incline and the mine equipped with a hoist and compressor. Ronald Fraser consulting engineer states that 150 tons of ore have been extracted running from $10 to $15 per ton.

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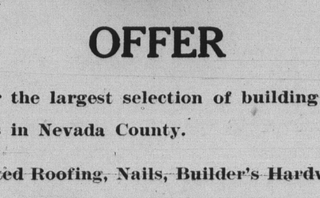

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